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1. REQUEST EMBASSY TRANSMIT FOLLOWING LETTER FROM AUFENKAMP
TO BEZRUKOV, WITH COPIES TO RAMEYEV AND ZORODOV.

2. 01.0102 - AUGUST 5, 1976

DR. V. B. BEZRUKOV
MAIN COMPUTER CENTER GOSPLAN
45 KIROV STREET
MOSCOW

DEAR DR. BEZRUKOV:

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR VERY INFORMATIVE LETTER OF 28
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JULY CONCERNING THE PLANS YO; HAVE MADE FOR THE MEETING OF

COORDINATORS AND EXPERTS ON TOPIC 2 OF THE U.S.-U.S.S.R.
COOPERATION IN THE APPLICATION OF COMPUTERS TO MANAGEMHT.
HARVEY MCMAINS AND I ARE VERY PLEASED WITH THE PROPOSED
PROGRAM AND TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED BY THE SOVIET PARTICIPANTS

AT THE SEMINAR ON QUESTIONS OF MODELING AND UTILIZATION OF
COMPUTERS FOR PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT WITH LARGE SCALE
AGRARIAN-INDUSTRIAL COMPLEXES. WE HAVE NO FURTHER
SUGGESTIONS FROM THE U.S. SIDE AND LOOK FORWARD TO RECEIV-
ING THE MORE DETAILED PLAN AT THE BEGINNING OF SEPTEMBER.

FROM THE U.S. SIDE, THE MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION WILL BE:

DON AUFENKAMP, NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
HARVEY MCMAINS, NATIONAL BUREAU OF ECONOMIC RESEARCH
JOHN MEYER, NATIONAL BUREAU OF ECONOMIC RESEARCH
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-- UNIVERSITY
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-- UNIVERSITY: PRESIDENT, CERES ECOLOGY CORPORATION
EDWARD SMITH, NATIONAL BUREAU OF ECONOMIC RESEARCH

YOUR ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING THE NECESSARY AUTHORIZATIONS
FOR VISAS WILL BE VERY MUCH APPRECIATED. I WILL SEND YOU
THE TITLES OF THE U.S. REPORTS WITHIN A FEW DAYS.

THE U.S. DELEGATION EXPECTS TO ARRIVE MOSCOW ON SUNDAY,
SEPTEMBER 26 AT 1205 P.M. ON PANAM FLIGHT 44.

HARVEY MCMAINS INFORMS ME THAT HE CONTINUES TO RECEIVE MANY
GOOD REPORTS ABOUT THE MIS MEETINGS IN THE U.S. IN JUNE.
WE HOPE THE MEETINGS WERE ALSO USEFUL TO YOU.
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WITH BEST WISHES,

D. D. AUFENKAMP
U.S. WORKING GROUP CHAIRMAN

CC: DR. RAMEYEV - SCST
-- MR. ZORODOV - SCST HABIB

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